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My dear Miss Weston.

I send you the pictures which are at last finished. I ought to apologise for not having finished them before, but my only excuse is that we have had quantities of other work on hand & I wanted to find some pretty patterns. I hope these will do. They were better than any others I could find, but the largest bridge is any thing but pretty & I do not know how you will like the rough old houses. They looked so spirited & pretty in the picture of Mr. Seager's which I copied them from that I thought they would make

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a nice contrast to the two little Castles, so I numbered them on the back to go with them, but now they are done they seem almost *too* rough. Perhaps it would make a prettier variety to put one of each sort in a card case, but about this you will know better than I.

I had a long letter from Fort Lee last Sunday, answering one I wrote Sarah begging her to come to the Peace Convention. She said that she could not consistently leave home now & that "Angelina's approaching confinement bound her heart to her dear home by additional ties & duties."

She inquires what Joseph Tilson's post office address is? Do you know?

we do not. There are several
little tracts needed Sarah says
which Theodore, now the Almanac
is out, is laboring to prepare.

He has just got out a circular
on the Moral Condition of the Slaves

Most of the letter is about the
loss of her mother which of course
she felt very deeply.

Mother sends her love.

Please give my love to Lucia
and ask her how soon I may
expect her here to make me that
long promised visit. I expect
my cousins out this week or next
If she will see them they will tell
her when, & I should be delighted
to see her at the same time. She
must bring her sketch Book &
pencils & if she will stay several

days we can have some nice rambles I would set the day and Father would bring her out but it might be uncertain whether he would go in, as we have painters at the house and he may wish to be at home.

Respectfully. A. R. Philbrick

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